

Subject: Update - Downtown Open Studio and Design Charrette

From: Los Angeles Department of City Planning

Date: 10/05/2016 11:12 AM

To:

We've had a great first two days of **The Downtown Community Plans Open Studio and Design Charrette**. Over 150

Downtown stakeholders have joined us to participate in the studio and charrette.

[View this email in your browser](#)

Last night's panelists and audience participants joined planning staff for a lively discussion on mobility and the public realm Downtown.



Join us for more exciting events this week including:

[View this email in your browser](#)

Wednesday 1 pm - Housing Panel

Discussion:

Liz Falletta; USC Price School of Public Policy

Mike Alvidrez; Skid Row Housing Trust
Karin Liljegren, AIA; Omgivning

Wednesday 6:30 pm - Design and Character Panel Discussion:

David Abel, The Planning Report

Dan Rosenfeld, AIA/LA Historic Preservation Committee

Joey Shimoda, FAIA, FIIDA; Shimoda Design

Group
Linda Dishman; Los Angeles Conservancy
Alvin Huang, AIA; Synthesis Design +
Architecture

Thursday 6 pm - DTLA Draft Zoning Code Options

Peter Park (Former Planning Director, City of Denver) will kick off a discussion on how the zoning code can implement plan concepts to accommodate growth, support neighborhood character, and promote livability.

Friday 11:30 am - Innovate DTLA

The Downtown Center Business Improvement District will lead a workshop and panel discussion on "How City Policies and Programs Support Innovation."

Don't forget!

Saturday, October 8th, LA Conservancy is offering walking tours of Downtown!:

[SIGN UP HERE](#) for one of the four tours

ART DECO: the history, materials, and style of Art Deco architecture popular in Los Angeles in the 1920's and 1930's

BROADWAY: the social, cinematic, and architectural history of this unique street

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN: an overview of the historic and cultural landmarks of downtown Los Angeles

MODERN SKYLINE: Downtown's transportation, public plazas hidden in plain sight, and how old and new blend into a unique urban landscape

Please share with your colleagues, friends, other fellow Angelenos, and be sure to

[RSVP to the event](#) on Facebook!

WHEN: Monday, October 3rd - Saturday, October 8th, 2016
open to the public starting at 9:00 AM through 9:00 PM

WHERE: the historic Bradbury Building at 304 S. Broadway St. Suite #218, entrance on Third St.

This workshop is an opportunity for Angelenos to discuss and help guide the future of Downtown. Join us for a lively week of design workshops, discussion groups, and moderated panel sessions with guest speakers who are active in the Downtown resident,

business, and development communities.

Come in on your own time to view a permanent display of presentation boards showing draft policy concepts and zoning tools, mark up maps, and participate in design activities. Staff will be available to provide information and answer questions.

Special topical programming and moderated panel discussions are also open to the public, and listed below.

Welcome to DTLA 2040. This public open studio and design charrette is an opportunity for Angelenos to discuss the future of Downtown. Join us for a lively week of design workshops, discussion groups, and moderated panel sessions with guest speakers from the City of Los Angeles, the Downtown business, business, and development communities. The entire week is open to the public and intended to facilitate a discussion surrounding the vision for the Plan, and how it can help guide the future of DTLA.

SCHEDULE

EVERY DAY 9:00am - 6:00pm
The space will be open to the public, with a permanent display of presentation boards showing Downtown Community Plan draft policy concepts and zoning tools. Come in on your own time to view these materials, mark up maps, and participate in charrette-style design activities. Stop by anytime Friday or Saturday to check out the initial draft of the Downtown zoning code options, and share your first impressions. Staff will be available to provide information and answer questions.

Special topical programming and moderated panel discussions are also open to the public, and listed below.

MONDAY 10/3 KICK-OFF & VISION
5:30pm - 6:00pm
Kick-off presentation by Los Angeles Department of City Planning on the purpose of the DTLA 2040 process, the vision for the future of Downtown, and the week's activities. Speaker includes: Vice-Chair of Planning, Los Angeles City Councilmember Mitch Englander, Vice-Chair of the DCP, and Michael M. Lewellen, Director of Planning.

TUESDAY 10/4 MOBILITY & PUBLIC REALM
6:30pm - 9:00pm
Panel discussion on public realm improvements in DTLA. Speakers include: Kara Henderson (Core City Angels), Gabe Klein (DCA), Michael M. Lewellen (DCP), and Valerie Morrison (AIA/LA), and Adrienne Sartorius (Planning Square Research).

WEDNESDAY 10/5 HOUSING & URBAN DESIGN
1:00pm - 2:30pm
Panel discussion on housing typologies and affordability issues. Speakers: LaTasha Johnson (SAC Price School of Public Administration), and Michael M. Lewellen (DCP).
6:30pm - 9:00pm
Panel discussion on Downtown design & character. Speakers: Michael M. Lewellen (DCP), and Adrienne Sartorius (Planning Square Research). Guests: Preservation Committee, Jerry Shemtov (AIA/LA), Michael M. Lewellen (DCP), and Valerie Morrison (AIA/LA).

THURSDAY 10/6 DTLA Draft Zoning Code Options
6:00pm - 9:00pm
Join us for a special meeting of the Zoning Advisory Committee as we review the Draft Zoning Code Options for Downtown. Speaker to be announced.

FRIDAY 10/7 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
11:30am - 1:00pm
Downtown Density Management Improvement District will be hosting a private DTLA workshop and panel discussion on "How City Policies and Programs Support Inclusion". Speakers include: Michael M. Lewellen (DCP), and Valerie Morrison (AIA/LA), and Adrienne Sartorius (Planning Square Research).

6:30pm - 9:00pm
Social hour including food, refreshments, and Grand Central Market tickets for the first 75 attendees.

SATURDAY 10/8 COMMUNITY DAY
9:00am - 5:00pm
Come share your thoughts about your neighborhood! Staff will be available for one-on-one discussions.

Free walking tours will be available through the LA Conservancy:
6:30pm - 8:00pm: History and Art of DTLA (includes stops in the 1200 and 1000 blocks of Spring Street, and the 500 block of South Flower Street)
8:00pm - 9:00pm: Architecture of the Modern and Cultural Revolutions of LA (includes stops in the 1200 and 1000 blocks of Spring Street, and the 500 block of South Flower Street)

Grand Central Market tickets for the first 75 attendees.
www.dtl2040.org

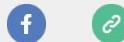
The open studio is an outreach effort part of the update to two community plans, Central City and Central City North, which comprise Downtown Los Angeles. The entire week is open to the public and intended to facilitate a discussion surrounding the vision for the Plan, and how it can help guide the future of DTLA.

Share your ideas at
DTLA2040.org

FRIEND ON FACEBOOK

Instagram

VISIT OUR PAGE



Copyright © City of Los Angeles Department of City Planning. All rights reserved.

This email was sent to blair@hdlabid.com
[why did I get this?](#) [unsubscribe from this list](#) [update subscription preferences](#)
Los Angeles Department of City Planning · 200 N. Spring Street · Los Angeles, CA 90012 · USA

